SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 193

By Green

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Ashley Montgomery, 2017 Salutatorian of Rossview High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Montgomery is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2017 graduating class at Rossview High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ashley Montgomery has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ashley Montgomery has earned an exemplary grade point average and recognition as a National Merit Finalist; and

WHEREAS, a leader in her school, Ms. Montgomery is the Senior Student Council president, Key Club president, and an officer of First Priority, a Bible study club; and

WHEREAS, selected to join the Youth Leadership Clarksville Class of 2017, Ashley Montgomery has tutored students at her school since 2014 and volunteered at a local elementary school; she has been an active member of the youth group at Living Hope Baptist Church since 2011, and she accompanied the group on a mission trip to Nicaragua in 2016; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Montgomery's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, John Montgomery and Crystal Montgomery, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Montgomery's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2017 Rossview High School Salutatorian, Ashley Montgomery, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.